

# EN 213:Poetry

3 Credits

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## Course Schedule

ξ All assignments are due by the start of class on the day listed.

ξ All readings and other materials are to be completed in the class session for which they are listed. & 3 μ V W D Q G V I R U ' F R X U V H S D F N H W μ , I Q R W anthology.

Day	Week	Class Topic	Reading	Assignment Due
9/6 W	1	Syllabus	5 R E H U W + D \ G H Q G : L Q W H U 6 X Q G D \ V μ class)	
9/8 F		Poetic riddles	Poetic riddles packet Anglo Saxon riddles; e.eF X P P L Q p J v - h - e U s - s a g - U μ 6 \ O Y L D 3 O D ' 0 H W D S Tracy K. Smith, ' ( L Q V W H L Q ( C P ) 0 R W K I  Poetics background reading % X U W ' ' R Q · W ( 5 H D G the Spring)	Short Writing 1: Favorite poem interview
9/11 M	2	Old English versification	ξ ' & D H G P R Q · V + \ F ξ Beowulf lines 125 ξ Gerard Manley Hopkins, ' & D U U L R Q & R P I ξ . H P L \$ O D E L ' : H + H [ W K H 3 U H V L C	







<p>10/18 W</p>		<p>Stanzas</p>	<p>ξ George Herbert, '7KH 7HPSOH μ '(DVW '7KH )ORZHU μ ξ : % &lt;HDWV '6D %\]DQWLXP μ ξ /XFLOOH &amp;OLIW JRG μ</p>	
<p>10/20 F</p>		<p>Heroic couplets</p>	<p>ξ AlexandrePope, from '(VVD\ RQ 0DQ μ ξ 5REHUW %URZQ 'XFKHV μ ξ :LOIUHG 2ZHQ 0HHWLQJ μ</p>	<p>Short Writing 6</p>
<p>10/23 M</p>	<p>8</p>	<p>Couplets</p>	<p>ξ Natasha Trethewey, '7KHRULHV RI 7 6SDFH μ ξ 7UDF\ . 6PLWK ξ \$GD /LPRQ '7K 6D\ V :H·G /LNH Conversation to be %LOLQJXDO μ ξ (PLO\ /HLWKDXV )OLFNHU μ</p>	
<p>10/25 W</p>		<p>Tercets</p>	<p>ξ 5REHUW )URVW ZLWK WKH 1LJK ξ :DOODFH 6WHYF 0DQ μ ξ 3KLOLS /DUNLQ %HG μ ξ GwendolynBrooks, 'NLWFKHQHWWF</p>	

M			<p>ξ \$QWKRQ\ +HFKV RI &lt;ROHNμ</p> <p>ξ AlbertoRíos '1DQLμ</p> <p>ξ 5DQGD00 0DQQ 0RUWLFLDQ LQ (CP)</p> <p>Poetics reading Background on the sestina (theSpring)</p>	
11/1 W		The Romantic ode	<p>ξ :RUGVZRUK '2 ,QWLPDWLRQV F</p> <p>ξ 6KHOOH\ '2GH :LQGμ</p> <p>ξ .HDWV '2GH RQ 8UQμ</p> <p>Poetics reading Background on the ode(theSpring)</p>	
11/3 F		Contemporary odes	<p>ξ Sharon Olds, '2GH WR +\PH (CP)</p> <p>ξ /XFLOOH &amp;OLIW SHULRGμ &amp;3</p> <p>ξ .HYLQ &lt;RXQJ '2 0LGZHVWμ &amp;3</p> <p>ξ .ZDPH 'DZHV '2 &amp;ORWKHVOLQHμ</p> <p>ξ 5RVV *D\ '2GH 3XULWDQ LQ 0H</p>	Short Writing 8
11/6 M	10	Elegies	<p>ξ 5REHUW +HUULF &amp;KLOG 7KDW 'LH</p> <p>ξ .DWKHULQH 3KL</p> <p>ξ W.H.Auden ' )XQHUI %OXHVμ</p> <p>ξ Natasha Trethewey, '*UDYH\DUG %O</p>	
11/8 W			Exam Review bring in questions from review packet	
11/10 F			Exam	Exam due by end of class

11/13 M	11	Ghazals	Poems by Rumi, Faiz, and Agha Shahid Ali (CP)	
11/15 W		Pohndorff Room YLV LW IRU	<p>§ William Blake, '7 KH / D '7 KH 6 LFN 5 RVH</p> <p>§ 6 \ OYLD 3 O DWK</p> <p>§ &lt; X VHI . R P X Q \ DN It μ</p> <p>§ Eavan % R O D Q G '7 Science of Cartography Is / L P L W H G μ</p>	
11/17 F		Poets talking to the moon	<p>§ Sappho, moon fragments (CP)</p> <p>§ 6 LU 3 K L O L S 6 L G D Q G 6 W H O O D</p> <p>§ 6 K H O O H \ '7 R W § - H D Q 7 R R P H U '7 6 R Q J μ</p> <p>§ : D O O D F H 6 W H Y H 3 D U D S K U D V H μ</p> <p>§ : + \$ X G H Q '7 K % H D X W \ μ</p> <p>§ Margaret Wise Brown, Goodnight, Moon (link on the Spring)</p> <p>§ 7 L P R W K \ &lt; X '0 F</p> <p>Background reading: Mary Ruefle, '3 R H W U \ D Q G W K H (CP) the Spring)</p>	Short Writing 9
11/20 M	12	Poets in the city	<p>§ : L O O L D P % O D N H</p> <p>§ 7 6 ( O L R W '7 K R I - \$ O I U H G 3 U</p> <p>§ 0 D \ D \$ Q J H O R X 1 H Z &lt; R U N μ &amp; 3</p> <p>§ 0 R Q L F D &lt; R X Q '7 8 Q D F F R P S D Q L H</p> <p>§ \$ G D / L P R Q '7 K 0 R Y H μ &amp; 3</p>	
			11/22-26: Thanksgiving Vacation	
11/27 M		Love poetry	<p>§ '% H Q - R Q V R Q '7 &amp; H O L D μ</p> <p>§ * H R U J H + H U E H U</p>	

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